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RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

This Response is responsive to the outstanding Office Action mailed October 14, 2003, and follows the mailing of an Advisory Action on January 27, 2004.

A petition and fee for a one-month extension of time is included with this paper. A credit card authorization is included for the required fee. In the event that any additional fee is required for entry of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account 06-0029 and is requested to notify us of the same.

This Response includes:

- 1) Amendments to the Claims (pp. 2-5)
- 2) Remarks and Conclusion (pp. 6-7)